

National Position, Navigation and Timing Architecture Overview



Overview



- PNT Architecture Background
- Architecture Development
- Initial Findings



PNT Architecture Background

- Study requested by
 - National PNT Executive Committee
 - Under Secretary of Defense for Networks,
 Information and Integration
 - Department of Transportation
- Products
 - 20 year strategic outlook to guide near and mid-term decisions on PNT capabilities



National PNT Architecture - Justification

- PNT Strategic Landscape is Changing
 - Missions & Applications
 - Greater need for PNT Services
 - Technology
 - Rapid Change affecting PNT Services
 - PNT Services
 - More providers increased competition and/or integration
 - Will affect Military, Civil and Commercial communities
- Strategic Vision Needed
 - Sustain and advance global PNT capabilities
 - Meet long term user needs affordably and effectively
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Purpose of NSSO Architectures

Enterprise Level Guidance

- High Level Capabilities
- Fundamental Processes
- Organizations
- Infrastructure

Similar to City Planning

- Considerations for how people, buildings, transportation, utilities work together
- Effect of External Factors (e.g., weather, state jurisdiction, etc.)
- May conduct detailed design of some elements, primarily to gain understanding of higher level issues



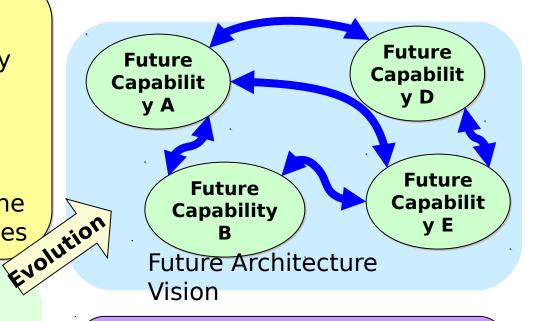




NSSO Architecture Emphasis

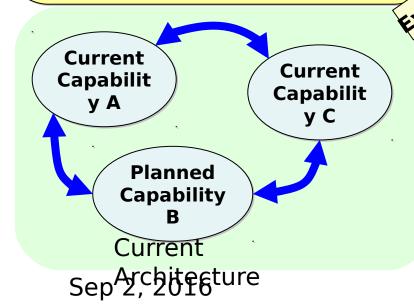
Enterprise Assessment of Governing Principals

- •National & International Policy agencies, governments and users
- Capabilities provided by systems of systems
- Infrastructure that provides the foundation for future capabilities



Recommendations

- •Guidance on Policy, Capabilities and Infrastructure
- Helps provide context for near and mid term decisions
- Leads to long term benefits



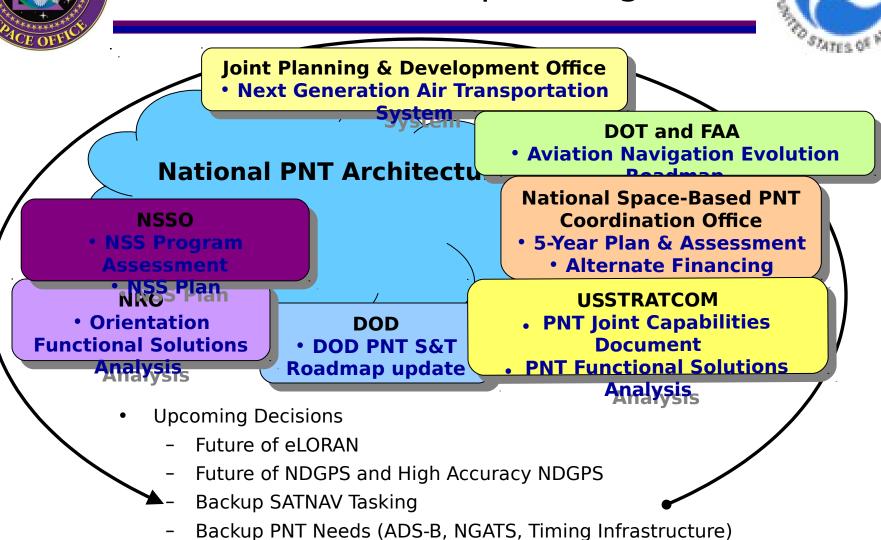


Overview of Civil PNT Challenges

- Diverse Set of Applications with Different Performance Requirements
- No Overarching Strategy Documents to Define Civil GPS/PNT Requirements – Identified in Civil PNT Analysis of Alternatives Study
- Promulgation of GPS Augmentation Systems
- What is the "Right" Mix of Terrestrial, Space, Based of Autonomous NavAids to Meet Performance Requirements?
- What is the "Right" Mix of Government-Provided GPS Augmentation Systems? Commercial Systems?
- Within Federal Government, Which Agency Funds a Program with Overlapping Requirements?



Related Efforts & Upcoming Decisions

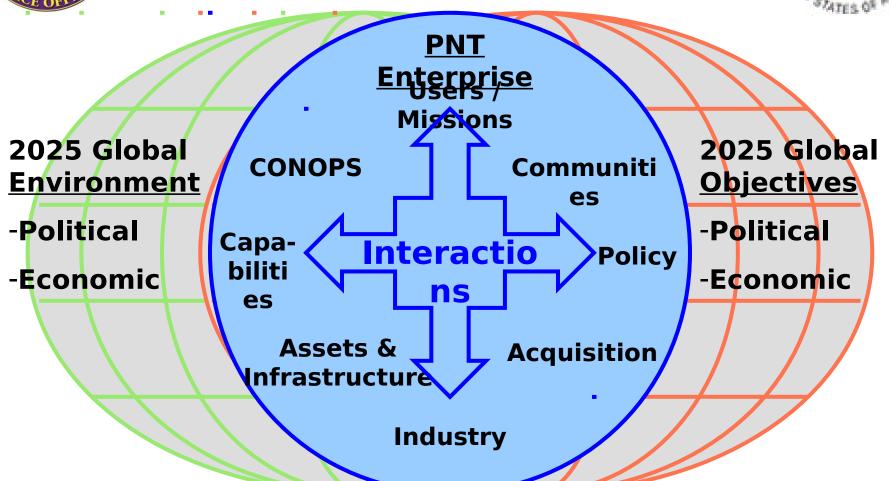


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GPS III and OCX Acquisition Strategies



National PNT Architecture Perspective



Enterprise Level Assessment to Ensure National PNT Preeminence



National PNT Architecture Scope

USERS
Military

Homeland Security

Civil

Commercial

Individual

DOMAIN

Far Space

Near Space

Atmosphere

Surface

Urban

Enclosed

Under Surface

Interference

MISSIONS

Space Nav

Terrestrial Nav

ISR / Targeting

Traffic Management

Logistics

Manufacturing

Agriculture

Cooperative Location

Geo Science

Timing

Security

Orientation

SOURCES

GNSS

GNSS

Augmentatio

n

Terrestrial

NAVAIDS

Onboard / User Equip

Networks

PROVIDERS

Military

Civil

Commercial

International

Policy

Broad Scope Requires Innovative Approaches and Focused
Analysis Efforts



PNT Architecture Stakeholders

- National Security Space Office
- US Naval Observatory
- US Air Force
- US Dept of Commerce
- Joint Planning Development Office
- NPCO
- NASA
- US Dept of Transportation / RITA
- US Dept of Transportation / FAA
- US Dept of State
- DoD (S&T)
- DoD (Networks, Information & Integration)
- Department of Interior

- Dept of Homeland Security
- US Coast Guard
- US Navy
- National Security Agency
- US Army
- NGA
- Joint Staff
- US Strategic Command
- US Marine Corp
- GPS Wing (SMC/GP)
- National Institute for Standards and Technology
- Policy Board on Federal Aviation
- Department of Agriculture



Architecture Development Overview

- Data Gathering Phase
 - 2006 PNT Architecture "As-Is"
 - Future Environment, Missions, Technology
 - 2025 PNT Architecture Evolved Baseline (EBL)
- Concept Development Phase
 - Assessment of EBL Shortfalls
 - Define Concepts to mitigate EBL shortfalls
 - Create Architectures based on groups of concepts
- Analysis Phase
 - Analyze Representative Architectures for Cost & Performance
- Assessment Phase
 - Findings and Recommendations



Current Status



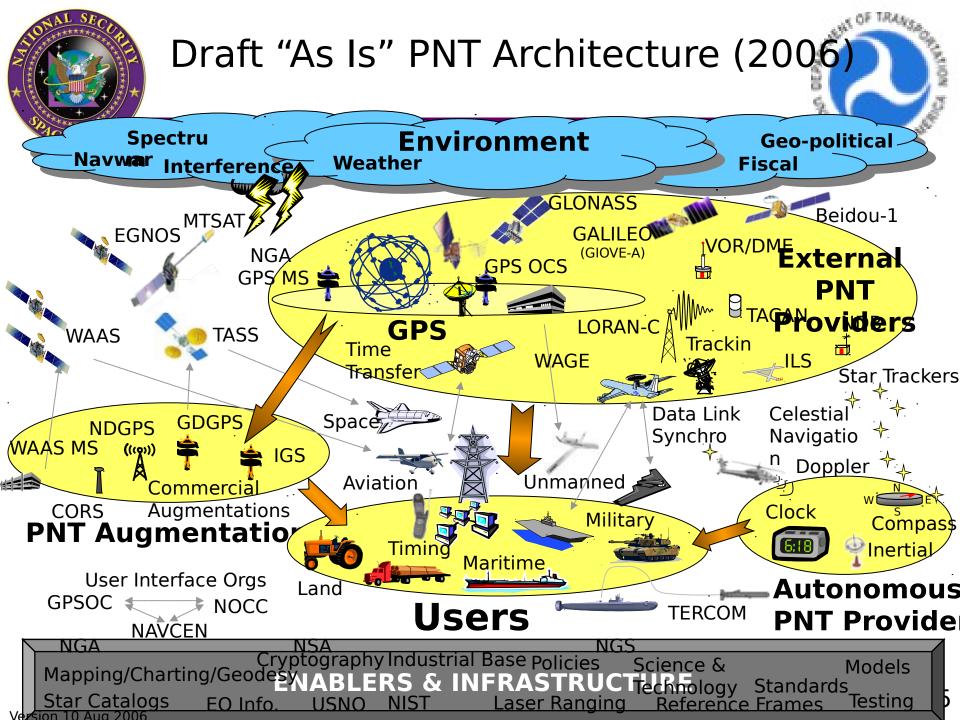
- First Cycle Completed in August 2006
 - Team familiarization with issues and process
 - Emphasis on Data Gathering
- Second Cycle to be completed in March 2007
 - Emphasis on Architecture Concepts and Analysis
- Third and final cycle to be completed by Jul 2007
 - Final Report
 - Coordination with Stakeholders



Preliminary Products



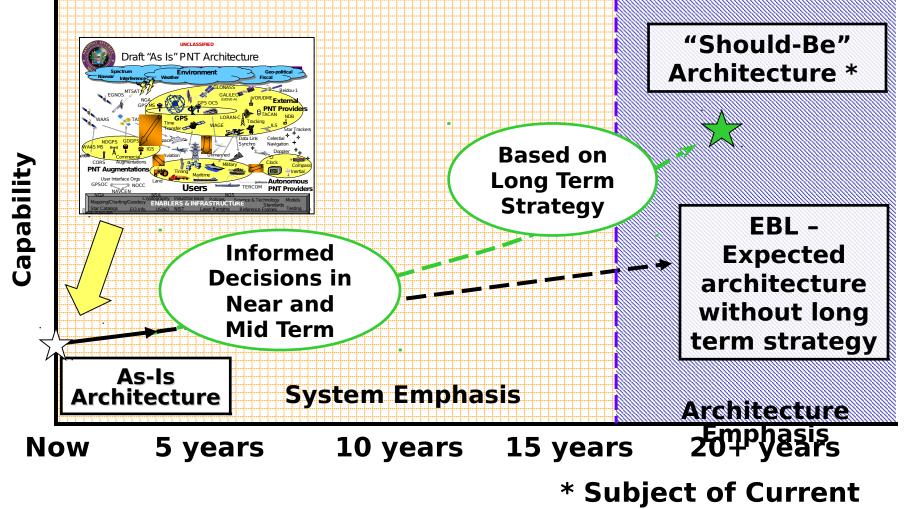
- As-Is Architecture (2006)
- Evolved Baseline (EBL) Architecture (2025)
- Architecture Level Trades
- Initial Findings and Concerns





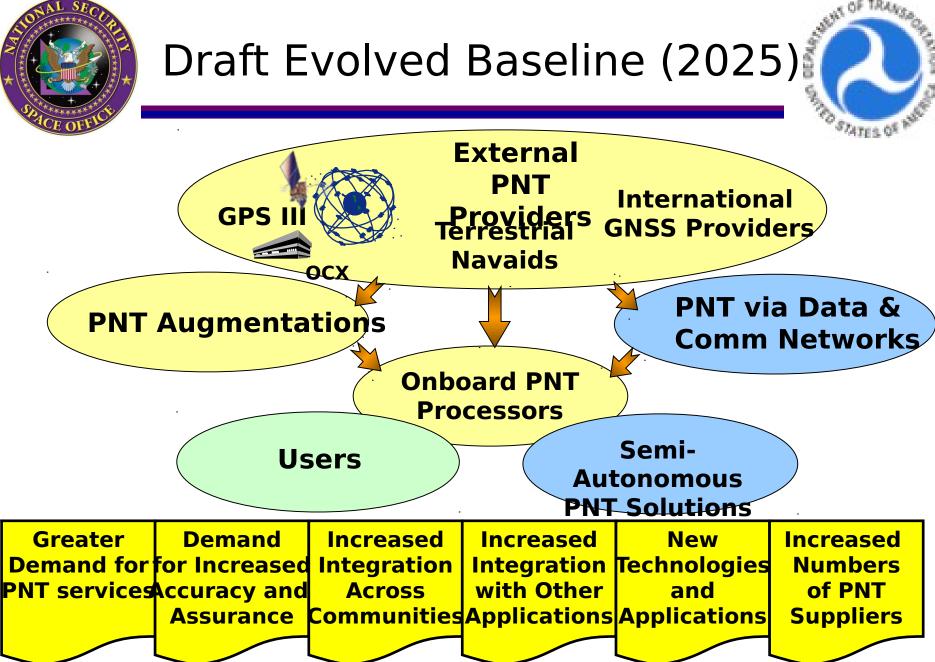
Evolved Baseline (EBL)





* Subject of Current Study







Potential EBL Technologies



Enablers

- Quantum applications (processing; comm)
- Optics and laser capabilities
- Distributed & Networked
 PNT Services
- New spectra / radiometrics available for PNT services
- Improved astrometry
- Precision gravimetrics and bathymetrics
- Improved topographic mapping

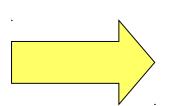
Applications

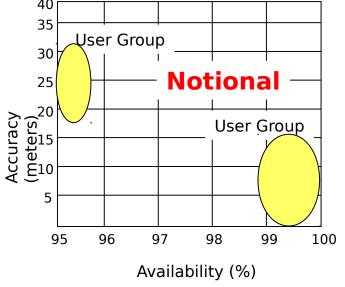
- Blue Force Situational
 Awareness
- Urban / Interior Navigation
- Intelligent Transportation
- Missing Person Locator
- Machine Level Location
- Orientation
- Data security and verification (including location)
- GEO and Deep Space Missions



Analysis - Framing the Needs

- Accuracy
- Availability
- Integrity
- Timeliness
- Coverage
- Continuity
- Precision
- Security





What are the appropriate combinations of axes?

What are the priority axes?

Accuracy vs.
Availability
Availability vs.
Integrity
Timeliness vs.
Integrity
Accuracy vs.



Analysis - Performance and Utility

Evolved Baseline Team Concept Teams

Evolved Baseline

 Representative Architectures

Stakeholder SMEs, tools, and resources are needed to help perform the various analyses

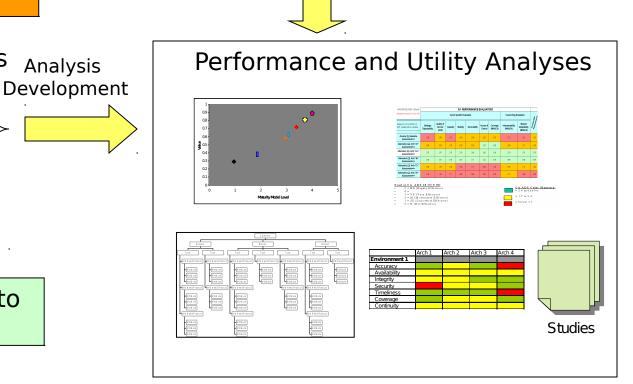
Needs Team

- Attributes and Values Analysis
- Scenarios

Future Environment Team

- Trends
- Threats
- Scenarios

Cost and Risk also need to be analyzed





Initial Findings (1)



- Architecture will need to balance Military, Civilian and Commercial needs
 - All communities desire increased accuracy and assurance
 - Mission specific needs will be very diverse
- Commercial PNT investments and services will increase significantly over the next 20 years
 - Military users will become more dependent on commercial products and services
 - Increased competition among international GNSS services



Initial Findings (2)



- PNT services will become more tightly integrated with other information enabled applications
 - Manufacturing, agriculture, ground transportation, communications, surveillance, tracking and targeting
- PNT services will be challenged by
 - Signal Interference and Spectrum Management
 - More sophisticated threats against Signals, Networks and Assets
- Demand for assured PNT in RF impeded environments (interference and obscuration) will increase



Initial Findings (3)



- Architecture will need to determine appropriate methods of GNSS signal augmentation
 - Space-based vs. Land-based
- Significant potential exists for future PNT services to be provided by networked or autonomous systems
 - Current mobile phone networks can provide rudimentary position data
 - Potential development of micro inertial navigation systems and chip scale clocks



Planned Industry Days



- Outreach to Industry for Input on Future of PNT
 - Applications and Technology
- October 11-12
 - NSSO Fairfax, VA
- October 17-18
 - Aerospace Corp. El Segundo, CA



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